

Public Notice
Proposed Revision to the Construction Permit for
University of Illinois in Champaign

The University of Illinois has requested that the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) revise the construction permit for electric/steam generation facility located at 1117 South Oak Street in Champaign. The current permit allowed the University to install low NOx burners for the existing boilers (boiler 2, 3, and 4). The proposed revision will allow the University to install low NOx burners on two of the existing boilers (boilers 2 and 3) and reduce operation of existing boiler 4. The project is not a major modification as defined by the federal Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) rules, 40 CFR 52.21. The Illinois EPA is accepting comments prior to making a final decision on this project.

Persons wanting more information may obtain copies of the draft permit, and project summary at www.epa.gov/region5/air/permits/ilonline.htm (please look under All Permit Records, State Construction Permits, Revision). These documents and the application can also be obtained from the Illinois EPA's offices at 2125 South First Street in Champaign, 217/278-5800 and 1340 North Ninth St., Springfield, 217/782-7027 (for either location please call ahead to assure that someone will be available to assist you). Copies of the documents will be made available upon request.

The Illinois EPA is accepting comments prior to making a final decision on this project. Comments must be postmarked by midnight October 22, 2003. If sufficient interest is expressed in the permit, a hearing may be held. Requests for information, comments, and questions should be directed to Brad Frost, Division of Air Pollution Control, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, PO. Box 19506, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9506, phone 217/782-2113, TDD phone number 217/782-9143.